HOUSE RESOLUTION 197

By Bass

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Allison Johnson, 2012 Valedictorian of Giles County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Allison Johnson is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at Giles County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Allison has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Miss Johnson has earned an exemplary grade point average of 4.0 while dedicating her time and energies to numerous extracurricular organizations, including serving as a member of the National Art Honor Society, Future Teachers of America, and Spanish Club; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Allison was named Chemistry
Student of the Year for 2009-2010, and she is a recipient of the Presidential Scholarship at
Martin Methodist College, where she is also competing for the Barton Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Miss Johnson's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Martin Methodist College; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, James and Elane Johnson, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Allison Johnson's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby

commend and honor the 2012 Giles County High School Valedictorian, Allison Johnson, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.